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- (B) providing a plurality of video displays, at least one of the video displays being in communication with the wagering device, the video displays being adapted to display a video presentation;
- (C) providing a video presentation, the video presentation relevant to the wagering game;
- (D) dividing the video presentation into a plurality of screen segments; and
- (E) displaying a different screen segment of the video presentation on each video display, wherein the segments of the video presentation, when viewed as a whole on the plurality of video displays, appear as an integrated video presentation.

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15. A gaming device, comprising:

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- (A) a plurality of video displays, each video display being adapted to display a video presentation;
- (B) at least one video display controller in communication with at least one of the video displays, the video display controller being adapted to drive the at least one video display and being adapted to communicate with at least one other video display controller;
- (C) a game controller, the game controller being adapted to operate a wagering game;
- (D) a game device controller in communication with the video display controller and the game controller; the gaming device controller being adapted to initiate a multi-screen presentation, wherein when the multi-screen presentation is initiated, a portion of a video presentation is displayed on each of the video displays, and wherein the video presentation appears to be an integrated, multi-screen presentation.
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25. A system for displaying multi-screen presentations in association with a wagering game,
the system comprising:

- (A) means for operating a wagering game;
- (B) means for coordinating a display of a multi-screen video presentation;
- (C) video display means for displaying a video presentation;
- (D) means for displaying the multi-screen video presentation on the video display
means, wherein the multi-screen video presentation appears to be a single
integrated presentation.

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Please add claims 30-40, as follows:

30. A gaming system, comprising:

- (A) at least one wagering device, the wagering device being adapted to allow a player
to play a game;
- (B) a plurality of video displays;
- (C) at least one controller in communication with the wagering device and the
plurality of video displays, the controller comprising a memory device for storing
at least a portion of a video presentation, the controller being at least adapted to
cause portions of a video presentation to be displayed on the plurality of video
displays, wherein the video presentation displayed on the plurality of video
displays appear integrated.

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31. The gaming system of claim 30, wherein the controller is further adapted to detect a bonus event from the wagering device, the controller is further adapted to cause the plurality of video displays to display portions of a single video presentation upon the detection of the bonus event.

32. The gaming system of claim 30, wherein the controller is further adapted to coordinate presentation of the video presentation among the plurality of video displays.

33. The gaming system of claim 30, wherein at least one portion of the video presentation displays the amount of a bonus award.

34. The gaming system of claim 34, wherein the controller is adapted to generate a random number, the random number being adapted to determine the bonus award.

35. The gaming system of claim 30, wherein at least one portion of the video presentation displayed on a first display displays at least one person engaged in a fishing activity, and wherein another portion of the video presentation displayed on a second display displays at least one fish.

36. The gaming system of claim 35, wherein the fish determines a bonus award.

37. The gaming system of claim 30, wherein the plurality of video displays is attached to the wagering device.

38. A gaming device adapted to allow a player to play a game, the gaming device comprising a plurality of video displays configured to be positioned in front of a player, the plurality of video displays being adapted to display portions of a single video presentation, the single video presentation being displayed on the plurality of video displays appearing integrated, and the gaming device further comprising a controller in communication with the plurality of video displays, the controller being adapted to generate a random game outcome.

39. A method of operating a game of chance on a wagering device, the method comprising:

- (A) detecting game play signal initiating a game play on the wagering device;
- (B) providing a plurality of video displays in communication with the wagering device; and
- (C) displaying portions of a single video presentation on the plurality of video displays, wherein the video presentation displayed on the plurality of video displays appear integrated.

40. The method of claim 39, further comprising detecting a bonus event, and performing step C upon the detection of the bonus event.

REMARKS

Interview

The applicants sincerely appreciate the courtesies extended by Examiner Nguyen and Primary Examiner Hotaling during a telephonic interview conducted on August 22, 2002. No agreement was made between the examiners and the applicants' attorneys during the telephonic interview.

Office Action

Claims 1-29 are pending. In the office action, the Office:

- Objected to the drawings
- Rejected claims 9-14 under 35 U.S.C. §112 second paragraph